

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO  
EASTERN DIVISION

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NORTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO  
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DAMETERESE RANSAW,

Plaintiffs,

-VS-

LEE LUCAS, *et al*,

Defendant.  
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: CASE NO. 1:09 CV 02332  
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: CASE MANAGEMENT PLAN AND  
: SCHEDULING NOTICE  
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UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE LESLEY WELLS

This matter came on for a Case Management Conference on 18 May 2010. The following determinations were agreed to by the parties and lead counsel of record, and IT IS ORDERED that:

1. TRACK ASSIGNMENT.

This case is assigned to the Complex case management track.

2. ELECTRONIC FILING.

This case:

X

is suitable for electronic filing.

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is not suitable for electronic filing because

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3. ALTERNATIVE DISPUTE RESOLUTION ("ADR").

This case:

\_\_\_\_\_ is suitable for reference to an ADR program.

X is not suitable at this time for reference to an ADR program.

4. MAGISTRATE JUDGE.

The parties:

\_\_\_\_\_ consent to the jurisdiction of a United States Magistrate Judge pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 636(c).

X do not consent at this time to the jurisdiction of a United States Magistrate Judge pursuant to 28 U.S. C. § 636(c).

5. INITIAL DISCLOSURES:

*TBD by motion*

The parties:

\_\_\_\_\_ have exchanged the pre-discovery disclosures required by Rule 26(a)(1) and the Court's prior order;

\_\_\_\_\_ will exchange such disclosures by \_\_\_\_\_;

X have not been required to make initial disclosures.

6. AMENDMENT OF PLEADINGS due TBD.

Motions for leave to amend pleadings pursuant to Fed. R. Civ. P. 15(a) shall be filed on or before above date.

7. TELEPHONIC STATUS CONFERENCE is Wednesday, Oct 20, 2010 at 10 A.m.

Court will initiate the call. Lead counsel must participate; parties represented by counsel need not attend.

8. FACT DISCOVERY CUTOFF is TBD.

All discovery shall be completed by the above date. Discovery shall be conducted according to the guidelines set forth in Local Rule 16.2(a)(2) for cases assigned to the standard case management track.

The parties are reminded of their obligations under Fed. R. Civ. P. 26, as amended; provided, however, that initial disclosures made pursuant to Fed. R. Civ. P. 26(a)(1) need not be filed with the Court. The parties shall comply with Local Rule 37.1 before filing any motion seeking aid from the Court in discovery matters.

Unless otherwise ordered by the Court, initial disclosures, discovery depositions, interrogatories, requests for documents, requests for admissions, and answers and responses thereto shall not be filed with the Clerk's Office, except that discovery materials may be filed as evidence in support of a motion or for use at trial.

9. EXPERT DISCOVERY CUTOFF is TBD.  
Plaintiff's expert reports are due TBD. Defendant's expert reports are due TBD.

10. DISPOSITIVE MOTIONS shall be filed on or before July 31, 2010.  
Plaintiff's rule 56(f) affidavit by Aug 30, 2010

11. PAGE LIMITATIONS.

Parties shall comply with Local Rule 7.1(f). Memoranda that exceed the page limitation shall not be filed until a motion for permission to file such memoranda is granted. Such motions are rarely granted.

12. EXTENSIONS OF TIME AND/OR REQUESTS FOR CONTINUANCE.

Requests for extension of time or continuance must be filed no later than 14 calendar days before the scheduled matter. Before requesting an extension of time or a continuance, counsel shall request the consent of other parties, and shall state in their written motion whether consent was obtained.

Motions for extension of time and/or requests for continuance will not be routinely granted.

To bring this case to a prompt conclusion, counsel are instructed to confer with each other frequently. The Court expects counsel to respond to each other's telephone or mail messages within 48 hours, except in unique circumstances.

  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

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